

Years of Potential Life Lost (YPLL) before Age 65, by Cause of Death, 2008-2009, by Sex

Maine Males			
Rank	Cause	Average Annual YPLL	Percent of Total YPLL
	All Causes	26,967	
1	Unintentional Injury	7,033	26.1%
2	Malignant Neoplasms	4,538	16.8%
3	Heart Disease	3,506	13.0%
4	Suicide	2,742	10.2%
5	Perinatal Period	1,398	5.2%
6	Congenital Anomalies	836	3.1%
7	Liver Disease	615	2.3%
8	Diabetes Mellitus	608	2.3%
9	Homicide	582	2.2%
10	Chronic Low. Respiratory Disease	367	1.4%
	All Others	4,745	17.6%

Maine Females			
Rank	Cause	Average Annual YPLL	Percent of Total YPLL
	All Causes	15,765	
1	Malignant Neoplasms	4,432	28.1%
2	Unintentional Injury	2,558	16.2%
3	Heart Disease	1,337	8.5%
4	Perinatal Period	1,203	7.6%
5	Suicide	637	4.0%
6	Congenital Anomalies	614	3.9%
7	Chronic Low. Respiratory Disease	486	3.1%
8	Diabetes Mellitus	353	2.2%
9	Cerebrovascular	345	2.2%
10	Liver Disease	337	2.1%
	All Others	3,465	22.0%

Data accessed on WISQARS, US CDC. http://www.cdc.gov/injury/wisqars/years_potential.html .

Because numbers are not controlled for population size, YPLL can not be compared across different population groups; only the order of causes can be compared.